Climate and Energy Finance & Policy Committee Meeting

Chair: Rep. Patty Acomb Vice-Chair: Rep. Larry Kraft

March 21, 2023 3:00 p.m. State Office Building – Room 200

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Minutes from March 15, 2023
- III. HF2620 (Pursell) Distribution system upgrades funding provided to interconnect distributed energy projects, and money appropriated.

Isabel Ricker, Director of Clean Electricity, Fresh Energy Patti Ray, Scandia Resident Hal Kimball, Vice President of Sales, Blue Horizon Energy

IV. HF2336 (Greenman) - Minnesota Climate Innovation Finance Authority established to provide financing and leverage private investment for clean energy and other projects, report required, and money appropriated.

Sara Wolff, MN Interfaith Power and Light Amber Naqvi, Lake Street Solar, LLC Allen Gleckner, Fresh Energy

Public Comment:

Patty O'Keefe, Sierra Club

V. HF2892 (Hemmingsen-Jaeger) - Solar energy production incentive program extended, energy storage incentive program established, and money appropriated.

Michael Allen, Chief Executive Officer, All Energy Solar

VI. HF2771 (Acomb) - Department of Commerce program to award rebates for purchase and installation of residential heat pumps established, program to train heat pump installers established, and money appropriated.

Audrey Partridge, Director of Policy, Center for Energy and Environment

VII. Adjournment

Next Meeting: March 22, 2023, at 3:00 p.m.